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REQUEST FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period for responding to the Restriction Requirement, now set to expire on February 17, 1997, be extended by four (4) months, so as to expire on June 16, 1997.

As Applicant is associated with a large entity, a check in the amount of \$1,470.00 is enclosed to cover the four-month extension herein requested. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiencies or to credit any overages to Deposit Account No. 11-1153, and accordingly, this Request is submitted in duplicate.

Favorable action on this Request for Extension of Time is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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